A Literary Salad, a Typographic Hash, of Fashion, Fun, Sense, Nonsense. Fact and Fiction.

THE GAITER BOOT.

Oh, dainty foot!
Oh, gaiter boot!
To piety you're shocking:
We only know
Of one thing worse,
And that's a snow white stocking!
So reat and clean,
Together seen,
E'en stoics must agree
To you to vite
What Gray once wrote.
A bandsome L-R-F
The lasting theme
of midnuft dream,
The very soul of song;
Man wants you little
Here below,
And never wants you long.
By Plato ne'er
Sent tripping here;
By Pluto rather given,
To lead poor man

To lead poor man
(An easy pisn)
To any pisce but heaven
Tet still we vow There's magic now About a woman's foot

And cunning was The wirard hand
That made a gaiter boot.
For while the knave
The gaiter gave
To mortals to ensuare them.
Mankind he hoaxed
And even coaxed
The angels down to wear them.

WOMAN'S RIGHTS. Where ew! Please whistle that, with green ersummon-puckered lips. Whe-e-e-ew, whew Has Major General Victoria Woodhull, Col Elizabeth Cady Stanton, or Squire Martha Ann Livermore been in town? The why of our query is thus wise. The time was a few days ago just after we had concluded a vigorous enslaught on our matutions bill of fare and fowl; i. boarding-house hash. The place was the headquarters of our defunct Uncle Samuel's mailarrangements, in this fair and flourishing village; i. e. post-office. The dramatis persona was we-uns; i. e. the Caucasian's youthful ecclesinatician. The object of interest was a dainty epistle in femininical chirography. We are the bonored recipient. We open it. And lo! we find ourself, our feeble, humble, unsophistica-ted, massuming self, called on, as the boldest Champion of Right in all the Big Muddy realm, to vindicate the cause of oppressed and defenceiess hoop-skirt-dom. In tones of strangely mingled fire and pathos, we are urged to jo the grand army of school-marms, spinsters. martyrs; and rally with Susan B. Anthony, George Francis Train, Phube Cozzens, Theodore Tilton, Anna Dickinson, Horace Greeley, Dinah Revels, and a host of other illustrious females of antiquity, around the glorious standard of the "New Revolution." In earnest, thrilling language, we are invoked to gird up our loins; buckle on a tea-tray, for a breast-plate; turn a bread-bowl down over our skull, for a helmet; arm ourself with a bare bodkin, a broom-stick, or a territic darning-needle; mount a clotheshorse; and shouting in a voice of breecheseplitting thunder, 'Down with Masculine Tyranny,' sally torth, a colossal Don Quixote, to battle like a brave gal, long and well, for Woman's Rights. Now, we'd like to do it. We believe in the "rights" of the sweet, angelic creatures, "heaven's last, best, dearest (pecuniarily) gifts to men, " with all our soul, strength and pocket-book- (which final is, at the present weighty)-And so help us Lucy Stone, Parker Pillsbury, Harriet Byron Stowe, and several other ancient she-roosters, we're willing to do battle for them everywhere and everyhow, with all the valor and devotion of a "paw-paw militia-man." Against the world, the flesh, and the d-addy of Puritan "Fregress," with ten legions of hen-pecked husbands thrown in boot, we'll maintain by pen, sword, and hundred-pounder Paixhan guns, teeth, claws and toe-nails, that the enchanting daughters of Madam Adam-(read that both ways)-have a RIGHT, a sacred, inviolable and inalienable RIGHT, to just as many new 'loves of bonnets,' se they wish, and are able to pay for ;- A RIGHT wear as toploftical capillary monstrosities and as hideous little deformed skillets full of impossible vegetables, fruits, and floral iniquities, on their heads; and as thin-soled consumption-hatching slippers on their feet; as glaring, flashy, uncouth, rainbow-surpassing circus-clown or convict-rivaling stripes and plaids; as barbarous, ear-disfiguring pendants; as waist-choking, lung-crushing corsets, and as low-necked, high-skirted dresses; as "the fashion" may demand; -A RIGHT to turn up their exquisite little masal probosces, with ineffable disdain, at their poorer neighbors' efforts to vie with them in splendor of adornment;-A RIGHT to fondle their "darling," little, cursed oolly poodles, as tenderly as they choose;-A

(down about "Richmond on the Jeems.") - Yes, yes, yes verily, Miss, or Madam, as the case may be, we're a "Woman's Rights' man. But ! -whilst five bundred thousand good and true MEN, in our so-called Republic, sons of patriot athers, are virtually slaves, disfranchised outcasts, aliens, foreigners in the land of their birth;—Whilst Freedom lies gasping, bleeding. dying, under the heel of an accuraed Yanko-Nigger Despotism; and the grouns of downtrodn, outraged, suffering MKN, are appealing t God and their countrymen, for help, relief, for life itself;-We must say we haven't time, can't turn aside, to aid in raising, or rather sinking, our fair countrywomen, from the hallowed sphere in which heaven designed them to move, and thrusting upon them toat "Franchise," of which their fathers and brothers are deprivedthat "Franchise," which, if attained, would only make them the political equals of cotton-field niggers and yankee vagabonds! Woman, lovely woman, wait a little longer." When bey can help you to obtain Yours-if you are deprived of any. We may be ungailant, in fact, we know we are; but we must say: "Franchise, suffrage, hustings, election-riots, scrambles, big speeches, and big drunks, for MEN Arst; -for women afterward-if they want them! Whatever may be said of our presidential pr TANYARDIS boor and sot, there is no gainsaying the fact that his daughter, Nellie, dresses taste fully. Her costume, on a recent occasion, was composed of two shades of brown silk. The skirt was of the rich dark cameo, and the waist of a lighter hue with a faint vellowish tint. Each color was daintily trimmed with the other the light being used to relieve the dark, and the

BIGHT to smash as many young fools' gizzards.

can :- A RIGHT to tense their sweethearts, tor-

ment their husbands, spank their babies, and

play the d-elicious pet jail-birds of paradise in general, just as much and as often as they please! Yes, we're for "WOMAN'S RIGHTS,"

with a vim. God knows, we sympathize with

woman's sufferings, weep over woman's griefs,

Had we omnipotence, no sigh should ever again

swell a feminine bosom; no tear ever again.

bodew a feminine cheek ;-No drunken husband

bring a blush to a tender sister's cheek. Heaven

bless the women-some of them especially-

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dark to tone down the light. The skirt was

rimmed with bullion fringe. The gloves were

dark brown to match the skirt. The hat, a white

turban, trimmed with a delicate shade of blue.

ing: "Mr. C., I think, when you ask a blessing, you ought to use more commas, and not so many is these dromedariseal days of feminine

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